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**PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT
ABANDONED UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)**

Docket Number (Optional)

202-0206 FAM (FGT 1648 PA)

First named inventor: Gary Steven Strumolo

Application No.: 10/065,505

Art Unit: 3661

Filed: October 25, 2002

Examiner: Thu V. Nguyen

Title: SENSING STRATEGY FOR DAMAGE MITIGATION IN COMPATABILITY SITUATIONS

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The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to file a timely and proper reply to a notice or action by the United States Patent and Trademark Office. The date of abandonment is the day after the expiration date of the period set for reply in the office notice or action plus an extensions of time actually obtained.

APPLICANT HEREBY PETITIONS FOR REVIVAL OF THIS APPLICATION

NOTE: A grantable petition requires the following items:

- (1) Petition fee;
- (2) Reply and/or issue fee;
- (3) Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee - required for all utility and plant applications filed before June 8, 1995; and for all design applications; and
- (4) Statement that the entire delay was unintentional.

1. Petition fee

Small entity-fee \$ _____ (37 CFR 1.17(m)). Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

Other than small entity – fee \$ _____ (37 CFR 1.17(m))

2. Reply and/or fee

A. The reply and/or fee to the above-noted Office action in the form of Submission of Formal Drawings (identify type of reply):

has been filed previously on _____.
 is enclosed herewith.

B. The issue fee and publication fee (if applicable) of \$ 1400.00.
 has been paid previously on August 2, 2005.
 is enclosed herewith.

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 Since this utility/plant application was filed on or after June 8, 1995, no terminal disclaimer is required. A terminal disclaimer (and disclaimer fee (37 CFR 1.20(d)) of \$ _____ for a small entity or \$ _____ for other than a small entity) disclaiming the required period of time is enclosed herewith (see PTO/SB/63).

4. STATEMENT: The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional. [NOTE: The United States Patent and Trademark Office may require additional information if there is a question as to whether either the abandonment or the delay in filing a petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional (MPEP 711.03(c), subsections (III)(C) and (D)).]

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Dear Madam:

In response to the Decision on Petition mailed June 23, 2006, Applicants hereby submit this Renewed Petition for Revival of an Application for Patent Abandoned Unintentionally Under 37 CFR 1.137(b).

Applicants have submitted herewith five (5) new formal drawings in accordance with the Notice of Draftperson's Patent Drawing Review dated June 22, 2006 to correct the deficiencies in the drawings previously submitted. The new formal drawings now satisfy provision (1) of the Decision on Petition which correct the character of lines, numbers and letters which the formal drawings did not contain due to poor fax copies being received by the Patent Office. No additional petition fee is necessary.

The Issue Fee, which was due on September 30, 2005, was submitted on August 2, 2005 in a timely manner and copies of these documents have been previously submitted as well.

Applicants' attorney hereby petitions the Office to withdraw the Notice of Abandonment for failure to respond to the Notice Regarding Drawings of November 14, 2005. As Applicants have submitted replacement drawings herewith in response to that Notice.

Applicants also authorize the Office to charge, if necessary, any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 06-1510 or 06-1505 in the name of Ford Global Technologies LLC.

Respectfully submitted,



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